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Justin II was Emperor of Byzantium

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Deaths of Justusian and Belisarius
Justin II is emperor.

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Justin II succeeded Justinian. He was ambitious, but lacked both the capacity and the means to achieve his imperial ambitions.

By this time the Slavs were rather flooding than infiltrating, the Balkan peninsula in an inexhaustible stream. The Avars in Czevenien with the Lombards had just

obliterated their trans-Danubian enemies
and, when the Lombards departed to take
possession of Italy, were ready to ready
to expand southwards. The financial and
military resources of the Empire were
reduced to a low ebb.

Justinian had paid off the Avars.
Justin II invited attack by withdrawing
the subsidy & they responded by
raiding with ever increasing intensity

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Justinian and Belisarius died in
565. The story that the old general
was reduced to a pitiful beggary,
in his last days is happily mythical.
The imperial succession passed
undisputed to Justinian's nephew
Justin II

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JUSTIN II was emperor of East Empire

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Death of Emperor Gessnerian

Death of General Belisarius

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Jastrow died 565 AD

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A monastery was built on
the flank of Mt. Sinai dedicated
to St. Katherine

Built by Byzantine Emperor
Justinian

It was constructed to also function
as a fortress.

2000 icons from Orthodox
Christian church.

There are less than 25 months there
Diesel generators; telephones; fax;
photocopia; tape cassette decks
& short-wave radios

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Justinian I ended his reign.

Justinian extended his conquests to Sardinia, Corsica, the Balearics and a portion of Southern Spain. But most of Spain and all of Gaul escaped him. The long campaigns so weakened his military system that his successors were unable to maintain what he had regained.

He died 565 and in a few years, the

Lombards took Italy. Africa answered to
Constantinople for another hundred yrs.

565 AD

The Church of the Nativity, Bethlehem
being rebuilt.

In 566 the Byzantine Emperor JUSTIN II assumed the consulship himself, and thereafter Imperial yrs were reckoned from Jan. 1 following the emperor's accession.

Monarchical countries in Europe reckoned by regnal years. but the practice differs. The Franks recognized & counted regnal yrs

from the King's Acossin